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Presbyterian Church
Potosi
Washington County
Missouri

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PHOTOGRAPHS
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HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Location: Potosi, Washington County, Missouri

HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

The following information was recorded by Alexander Piaget and Charles van Ravenswaay at the time the photograph was taken:

Ground deeded to Presbyterians by William Milaw, successor to Moses Austin properties. Built ca. 1832, the stepped gable end looks almost Flemish in design, unlike any other gable treatment of a church in Missouri. Cast-iron fence surrounds Presbyterian cemetery, established ca. 1870.

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Piaget-van Ravenswaay Survey consists of a number of photographs, primarily of sites and structures in Missouri, which were taken before 1938 by Alexander Piaget and after that by Paul Piaget, both in conjunction with Charles van Ravenswaay. Photographs of buildings were incorporated into the HABS collection in 1985 by Laura Rupp and in 1986 by Deborah Fulton, HABS historians. A master list is available in the [REDACTED] records for MO-1800.

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